

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 847

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ty Banks, Fourth Top Graduate of the 2018 graduating class at Lewis County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ty Banks is one such exceptional student and the Fourth Top Graduate of the 2018 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ty Banks achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Banks earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Future Business Leaders of America, Beta Club, National Honor Society, and American Legion Boys State; and

WHEREAS, a two-sport star athlete, he received the Academic Award and the Defensive Cornerback Award in football and played point guard for four years on the basketball team, winning All-District honors his senior season; and

WHEREAS, Ty Banks was selected as Mr. LCHS by the entire student body; his display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Banks's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Shannon and Amy Banks, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Ty Banks's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2018 Lewis County High School Fourth Top Graduate, Ty Banks, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.